SOME SCOUNDREL!

DOWN ONE OF THE

ORNAMENTAL TREES

IN MY GARDEN!

PERHAPS IT WAS

THE WORK OF AC

NEIGHBOR JEALOUS

OF OUR FRIEND'S

GARDEN! -

DAMAGE!

STRANGE

NO WATSO, SUCH A

PERSON WOULD CHOP

YOU SEE , WATSO, WHEN )

IT WILL, NOW THAT THE

TREE IS GONE, SHINE DIRECTLY INTO THE

MARVELOUS

WINDOWS OF THAT HOUSE

NEXT DOOR! LET US PAY

THE OWNER A CALL

DOWN MORE THAN ONE

SMALL TREE -THERE

WAS ANOTHER

REASON

HAS CHOPPED

SCHOONER TO BE REBUILT.

MEAN TO SAY

YOU ARE GO-

TO YEXAS?

HAVE

TRIFLING!

HAVE A

sales. Frank Libbey & Co.

The Minnie and Emma Will Be Repaired at Baltimore.

The schooner Minnie and Emma, a well known bay trader, belonging to Capt. Charles W. Ward, is to be rebuilt and made practically a new vessel at a Baltimore shipyard. The contract for the work was placed early in the week and the vessel now is being stripped, pre-paratory to the ship carpenters going aboard her. She is a vessel of 77 gross tons, is 94 feet long and was built at Pocomoke City, Md., in 1883.

In order to make the old lighthouse tender Violet, now the steamer Charles H. Warner, better fitted to carry passengers, she has been taken to a ship-yard at Seaford, Del., to have her hull sponsiled and to have other work done to her. On completion she will be employed in excursion work and it is stated she may be brought to this city. The Warner, while in the lighthouse service, was well known at this city and it was aboard her that former President Grover Cleveland made hunting trips to the North Carolina sounds.

# PLAN ANNUAL EXCURSION.

### Spanish War Veterans Going to Marshall Hall.

Arrangements are being completed for the annual excursion of the District camps of the United Spanish War Veterans to Marshall Hall next Saturday. The excursion is to be given under the auspices of the Oklahoma Club of the U. S. W. V. This club was organized to further the candidacy of John Lewis Smith of Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, as commander-in-chief. The national encompment will be held at Oklahoma City, Okla., August 21 to 23.

# STEAMER TRENTON HERE.

#### Boat to Be Returned to Service on a River Route.

The little steamer Trenton, which was sold at public auction at Alexandria last week under order of the United States district court for the eastern district of Virginia, and which was bought in by Judge E. C. Nicol for Judge Anson S. Taylor and others of this city, was brought to her dock here yesterday to be made ready to resume service on a route on the river. The vessel was employed in this service when tied up by law suits, and is to be given a thorough overhauling be-

fore resuming service.

The Potomac Navigation Company, the former owner of the boat, is being reorganized, and the steamer will be operated who was president and general manager of the old company. It is stated that the steamer will return to service with good

# RUSH WORK ON NEW WHARF.

#### Piles for Sewerage Pumping Station Structure in Position. The construction work on the new wharf

which is being built at the District sewerage pumping station, foot of Half street southwest, is progressing rapidly and already a large portion of the piles for the big structure are in position. The District tug General Warren a few days ago brought up from Occoquan a raft of piling which will be used in the wharf construc-tion and other material will later be brought from the workhouse grounds. The new pier, which is a hundred feet or more in width across the face, will be one of the most substantial wharves on the Eastern branch. It is to be used as a berthing place for the District tug Jeneral Warren, tender to the workhouse at Occoquan, and all material to be shiped to and from the workhouse will be

undled over it. The new pier, it is stated, will be ready for service the latter part of August. The power tug Virginia of the District fleet also will make her headquarters at the

Excellent Tailor Fishing at Chesapeake Beach. More than fifty fish caught yes-

### terday .-- Advt. REPAIRS TO BOATS.

### The Tug Mary J. Walker Returns to Service.

The tug Mary J. Walker of Philadelphia, which was on the marine railway at the Alexandria shipyard for repairs, was put overboard yesterday morning and the tug Camilla of the Taylor fleet of this city was hauled out in her

The scow-schooner John Taylor, belonging to J. H. Carter of this city, is at Dean's shipyard at Alexandria for re pairs preparatory to returning to service with the lumber and railroad tie running fleet on the Potomac. She will be ready for service in the latter part of the week The schooner Mary Ann Shea, belongng to M. C. Clarke of this city, which s out on the marine railway at Bennett's boatyard here, will be launched about the middle of the week. It was thought that the repair work on her would be completed about this time, but the calkers found several unsound planks in her hull which had to be replaced with new material. The schoonerscow Daniel is also at an Alexandria shipyard for general repair work prior to going into service with the wood and lumber carriers on the Potomac.

Excellent Tailor Fishing at Chesapeake Beach. More than fifty fish caught yes-

# INSPECTING UNIFORMS.

### Postmaster Merritt Makes Preparations for Winter's Work.

While the summer is still here, Postmaster Merritt is making preparations Advt. eral inspection of all wister uniforms of carriers and substitutes August 12. Station superintendents and clerks in charge of carrier stations are directed to arrange Mrs. Harring Has Two Outings for the inspection of such clothing of the letter carriers and substitutes attached to their stations as is supposed to be suitable for wear during the coming fall and winter and to send in lists of carriers who need winter clothing. together with the description of the ar-

Commencing tomorrow and continuing until otherwise directed, letter carriers and substitutes at the main office and stations will appear in the regulation shirt waist of uniform color, white col-lars, ties of dark color, belts and with-

The attention of the committee on uniform clothing has been called to the fact that 12 m. August 12 has been selected as the time bids for furnishing uniforms for the coming winter will be opened.

# What Mothers Should Know

We believe all mothers should know that Cuticura soap and ointment afford a pure, sweet and most economical treatment for itching, burning infantile humors, evzemas, rashes and irritations, which if neglected often become chronic and cause a lifetime of misery because of pain and disfiguration. A warm bath with Cuticura soap, followed by a gentle application of Cuticura ointment, usually brings immediate relief, baby sleeps, worn-out, worried parents rest, and peace falls on a distracted household.

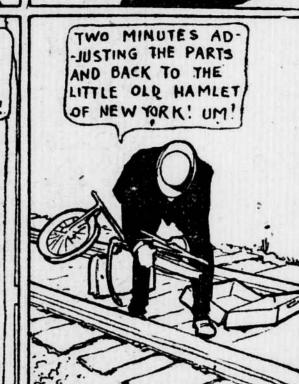
# Midsummer Day Dreams















# WHEN ENGINE UPSETS

### Dies Within Three Hours After Accident on the District Sand Wharf.

Escaping steam from the boiler of an overturned portable hoisting engine on the District sand wharf at the foot of 9th street southwest, yesterday afternoon scalded John B. Ruffin, colored, so badly that he died at Emergency Hospital less than three hours after the accident. Ruffin, who resided at 1719 11th street northwest, was the engineer in charge of the apparatus. He was operating the engine while others were unloading a sand-

boat, and without any warning, it is stated, the engine toppled over. The engineer was caught beneath the small engine, and others in the sand yard were unable to rescue him until he had been frightfully scalded from head to foot. When the steam was nearly explace to be fitted with a new p opeller hausted they were able to get close and to receive attention to null under enough to the overturned engine to pull the groaning engineer away. Ruffin was

# Said Wheel Broke.

James Raleigh, pilot on the Firefighter one of those who went to Ruffin's aid asked how the accident happened. "A wheel broke," the scalded man was

Raleigh examined the engine after Ruffin had been taken to the hospital. but was unable to find any evidence of a broken wheel.

A message sent to Emergency Hospita brought the ambulance without delay Ruffin lost consciousness in a short while o'clock. The police of the harbor precinct investigated the accident and will report the

ody of Ruffin was taken to the morgue. It is probable that an inquest will be held over the body tomorrow morning in order that a jury may fix the responsibility for

nad been in the employ of the District more than fifteen years and also was employed by the Cranford Paving Company for a short while. He leaves a wife and

Last day Herodias, Virginia, 9th, F. G.

# GOOD TIMES FOR KIDDIES.

### Planned for This Week. Mrs. Harry K. Harring of 1436 W street

northwest is making arrangements to give a large number of children hav rides next Tuesday and next Saturday. An ex- Mrs. E. Morris cursion to Chesapeake Beach under her Evans. charge was made by several hundred youngsters Friday. The children were taken to the beach in a special car furnished by the Chesapeake Beach Railroad Company, through Paul Y. Waters. All amusements on the grounds were tarown pen to the little ones. Each wore a small badge which entitled him to admission to all the amusements as many times as he

One of the best times which the youngwith a bathing suit and allowed to paddle about in the water. Lunches had been donated by Washington merchants. Not a child on the trip was taken sick or even complained about feeling ill. The party left for home at 7 p.m. Mrs. Harrison has given several similar outings this year. She thinks they are outings this year. She thinks they are very beneficial for the children, many of whom would not be able to get out of the city otherwise. She has formed the children into a club, and knows all of them personally. In preparing for an outing each child helps. She intends to try to interest her friends in arranging outings for little folks during the summer months. Those who own auto.

Georgetown Star Branch.
Pride's Drug Store, 28th and P sts.
w., receives "Want Ads" for The Star

summer months. Those who own auto-

mobiles, she says, have a special oppor-tunity for this work.

#### Band Concerts Today. Fort Myer, Va. Guard Mount and Sacred Concert. Cavalry Band. George F. Tyrrell, director.

11:15 a.m. Program: March, "Joyce's 71st Regiment," Inspection, "My Rosary".....Lust March, "The Paraders".....Rolfe March, "Solid Front".....Miller

Concert: Song, "Farewell"......Schubert Idyl, "Traum Der Sennerin," Labitzky Quartet from "Rigoletto".... Verdi Serenade, "Twilight Shadows,"

Monday, July 31. Soldiers' Home. Soldiers' Home Band, Emil A. Fenstad, assist-Program:

March, "Col. Petti"..Zimmerman Overture, "The Wanderer's Hope," Fantasia, "Hearts and Flowers," Grand selection, "Macbeth". . Verdi Turkish intermezzo, "On the Bosporus"..... Lencke delection, "The Girl of My ..... Huschna Finale, "With Sword and Lance,"

"The Star Spangled Banner." Franklin Park, Cavalry Band, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, August 1, Logan Park,

Anacostia, Engineer Band, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, August 2, Capitol Grounds, United States Marine

Band, 5:30 p.m. Thursday, August 3, Montrose Park, Georgetown, Cavalry Band, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Friday, August 4, Franklin Park, Engineer Band, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Saturday, August 5, White Lot,

### ISAAC B. MORRIS DEAD. Member of Bar and Writer on Economic Subjects.

Isaac B. Morris, a member of the bar died suddenly Thursday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Meta Morris Evans. 929 Farragut square.

Mr. Morris was born in Chester county, He was graduated at the head of his class at Miami University, Oxford. He married the daughter of Shepard Lef-Morris was a writer on many subjects the treasurer, Andrew Parker: pertaining not only to his chosen prodaughter, so affected his mind that sun stroke found him a ready prey, leaving him an invalid.

# ARRESTED IN CONNECTICUT.

### Washington Man Wanted on a Charge of Non-Support. Arthur E. Woolny, who is under indict-

sters had was when each was furnished Bridgeport. Conn., yesterday at the re-Woolney, who is a machinist, was arrested in Boston about n'ne months ago on a similar charge. That case was set-A copy of the indictment against Woolny

> T. L. Baker to Head Postal Station. Theodore L. Baker has been appointed clerk in charge of postal station No. 5. the site of which has been changed to 2210' Georgia avenue northwest, Francis McC. Criswell, the former superintendent, having resigned, effective tomorrow. The station will begin operations at the new site August 1. Court temorrow.

# SICK BABY MADE WELL AT CAMP GOOD WIL

### "Patsy," Aged Nine Months, Is Jolly and Happy and Is General Favorite.

There are 162 mothers and children enjoying themselves at Camp Good Will. The person at the camp who is attracting the most attention at present is After a service of four years as director he went out that there was some quesgo, but they took the risk and today Patsy is well and happy and has im- Mrs. Scantlebury the choir has grown proved so much that the superintendent and discipline among the boys of the orand nurse have asked to have his time ganization has been good. Rev. Mr. Davextended

mothers and children vie with each other to make him happy and even the night watchman has offered to heat his milk and see he gets it promptly.

# Annex for Sick Babies.

The summer outings committee is making arrangements to open a special annex where ill babies and their mothers can be cared for under the supervision of a zens' Association in the month of August, special doctor and nurse. This of course this announcement having been made by will mean more money, but there is no doubt in the minds of the committee that will conduct the services today in the the Washington public will be willing to Garden Memorial Presbyterian Church. furnish whatever is necessary to make this much needed work possible. The spirit at Camp Good Will is fine.

Each guest takes a pride in it as his very own and does all he can to make it a Quite a number of persons have responded to the appeal for chairs and baby carriages.

Camp Pleasant, for colored mothers and children, is also in full operation. Forty mothers and children are at present in camp.

Both camps are always glad to receive

# Contributions Received.

To the summer outing committee of fler. In addition to being a lawyer he the Associated Charities, 923 H street was an authority en bimetallism, of northwest, the following contributions which subject he made a life study. Mr. have been sent, for Camp Good Will, to tession, but also on sociological and Mrs. Miles Rock, \$2; Miss Lucy Howe,

political questions. He delivered the first \$6; Miss Jessie F. Springer, \$1; Gen. speech made on the silver question in James A. Buchanan, \$5; Mrs. A. H. 1876 and was chairman of the national Bowman, \$6; Frank McClelland, \$6; silver convention held in Washington. John B. Larner, \$6; Mrs. Rebecca A. The loss of his wife some years ago. Baker. \$5: Mrs. James T. Marshall. \$3: followed by the serious illness of his Harry Howe, \$3; Mrs. Lawrence R. Lee, \$25; Mrs. E. M. Currie, \$2; Alexander B. Garden, \$1; O. M. Bryant, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Millard Metzger, \$5; Dr. Mr. Morris is survived by his daughter, Marion Dorset, \$5; Miss Annie A. Mrs. Evans, and her children, Meta M. Walker, \$6; cash, \$5; Gen. Ellis Spear, Morris and George Edmund Morris \$10; Prof. John J. Rothermel, \$1.50; Mrs. John O. Knox, \$3; Mrs. George M. Smith, \$3; through Mr. C. T. Richardson, \$32.75; Mrs. Mary L. Dunslap, \$3; King's Daughters, \$2; Thomas he was wearing a diamognatic description. Mrs. Florence Fisholate, \$5; Miss Deta to a woman in Pittsburg and when he district, at Baltimore. Room nine in the Stephen A. McClellan, \$5; S. F. H., \$9: Will C. Barnes, \$2.50.

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Arthur E. Woolny, who is under indictment in this city for failure to support his wife and two children, was arrested in Bridgeport, Conn., yesterday at the request of Inspector Boardman. The indictment was returned the 14th of this month, but the police were unable to find him. Inspector Boardman learned that he had gone to Bridgeport, and asked the chief of police there to arrest him.

Woolney, who is a machinist was arrested in Bridgeport, and asked the Capt. Frank Taylor of A. J. Taylor, \$1; Dr. George W. Cabaniss, \$1; Mrs. Bro., tugboat owners, who has been ing after the interests of his tugboat owners, and in the interest of his tugboat owners. Star Immediate Aid, \$2; Robert had also an interest of his tugboat owners, and in the interest of his tugboat owners. Mrs. A. E. Williams, \$1.

# Accused of Stabbing Woman.

William F. Lee, colored, twenty-nine years old, 126½ Madison alley, engaged in an altercation yesterday afternoon with Nellie Porter, also colored, who occupies a room in the same house, and, it is charged, stabbed her in the left breast, inflicting an ugly flesh wound.

Stafford.

Capt. Alfred Curley is at Alexandria looking after repairs to his schooner, the Sidonia Curley, at a shippard there. Capt. John Hahn, jr., with his father, John Hahn, sr., and Charles Baker and Mr. McKenney of the bureau of engraving and printing left here yesterday afternoon aboard the launch Gertie for a cruise on the river. The woman was taken to the Casualty Hospital. Lee was arrested by Bicycle from a ten-day visit to relatives in Policeman Montgomery and locked up to Charles county, Md., near Nanjamoy answer a charge of assault in the Police creek. Capt. Posey reports fishing and

# ANACOSTIA.

#### The water department of the District accomplished very important work the past week for the residents of Anacostia when it installed at several points n the town "cut-offs" to be used when repairs are being made to the mains. Heretofore, when any portion of the pipe sary, it required that the water be shut off in the entire village during such repairs. Under the new system certain portions of this supply may be closed without interfering with the entire sys-

Church in Anacostia, William Scantlebury. jr., has tendered his resignation A. C. Co. covered lighter at Alexandria her owners settled the suit by comto Rev. W. G. Davenport, rector, to take from Quantico, Va., with iron pyrites to promise. effect September 1, and it has been ac- the acid-making plant; tug Pride from a cepted by Mr. Davenport. Mrs. Scantle- down-river point with a tow. bury, who has played the organ during that time, will also be relieved in September. Under the leadership of Mr. and enport has named Arthur L. Simpson as he new director, and he has accepted He is the pet of the entire camp and the position. Mrs. Simpson will play the

The final open-air service, under the auspices of the United Churches of Anacostia, will take place this afternoon on the Christie lawns, and will be for both men and women. Special music has been arranged for the occasion and a number of speakers are on the program for ad-

Unless urgent business requires it, there will be no meeting of the Anacostia Citi-Rev. Joseph B. North of Snow Hill, Md.,

now at Allen's Methodist Episcopal Church in Good Hope, and also at Green Willow Park in Hillsdale. Special speakers have been provided for these services, which will continue until September. The public playgrounds established this year on the grounds surrounding the

Ketchum school building have proved source of enjoyment for the children of the community, and as many as 300 children have been in attendance at one time, which has far exceeded any anticipated number according to Miss A. S. Tichener, who has charge here.

account "Bush" meeting. Southern Railway trains leave Washington 8:55 a.m. (ltd.), 9:15 a.m. (local).—Advt.

\$1.00 Round Trip Sunday Purcellville

SAY HE STOLE RINGS.

#### George St. John Arrested Here for Pittsburg Authorities. George St. John, twenty-seven years

old, who claims to be originally from! New York, and says he is a cook and waiter, was arrested last night at 802 H street northwest by Detectives Vermillion and Barbee for the Pittsburg authorities, who say he is wanted in Pittsburg on a charge of stealing a diamond ring, St. John denies the charge. He says

Personal Notes of River Men.

# Capt. Frank Taylor of A. J. Taylor &

Norfolk and on the James river, is in Policeman Cooper of the harbor precinct left yesterday with his family to spend several days at his old home at Garrisonville, Stafford county, Va. Mr. Cooper will drive from this city to Stafford.

Capt. Frank Posey returned yesterday

hunting excellent.

Sherlocko the Monk
The Episode of the Umbrageous Tree

TREE!

LET US WALK

OVER TO THAT

ELECTRIC LIGHT

SO, MR. TIGHTWADDO, TO GET THELE

WAS INTERFERED WITH

CHOPPED IT DOWN

WELL- I SAVED

SOMETHING ON MY

GAS BILL BY IT!

PURCHASES BIG SCHOONER.

on Chesapeake Bay.

The vessel was built at Frederica, Del.,

Until several months ago Capt. Towns-

Fresh-cut Flowers On Hand

GOOD SUPPLY OF FRESH FISH.

Blues. Trout and Mackerel Are Be-

ing Brought In.

the supply of fresh fish received by the

yesterday over the early part of the week.

and the demand is good. The bulk of the

per pound, butters at 4 cents per pound,

The receipts of crabs from the lower

boats from the lower river landings bring-

There have been two arrivals of water

melon-laden crafts at the 11th street

bay loading. The demand for the melons

ATWOOD LEAVES CAPITAL.

Ships Machine to Baltimore, Where

He Will Fly This Week.

The new aeroplane in which he will

make the flight has been shipped from

this city to Baltimore in the car in which

it arrived. The machine was expressed

from Boston to Washington, but was

NEW DOCTORS FOR ARMY.

date at Recent Examination.

souri, William F. Wild of Louisiana and Neal N. Wood of Michigan.

Gude to Entertain Florists.

Members of the Florists' Club of Wash-

Thomas E. Hardwood, jr., of this city

croakers at \$5 per barrel.

of the fresh air fund.

WAS AFTER

THE WOOD.

OF COURSE

WOOD IN THAT

LARGE TREE!

# ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

Capt. Townshend Will Use Vessel Arrivals. Schooner Thomas B. Taylor, watermelons from North Carolina, at 11th street The three-masted schooner Lizzie V. wharf market for dealers; schooner Hall recently was purchased at New to L. A. Clarke & Son, which is out on Adelie Steffins, cord wood frm St. Mary's York by Capt. W. J. Townshend from H. the small railway at Bennett's boatyard river at 10th street wharf for L. A. F. Hedges, and he will shortly bring her to have her hull rebuilt, is nearly com-Clarke & Son; schooner Silver Star, lum- south for general freighting work on pleted, and during the coming week she ber from Aquia creek at 9th street wharf | Chesapeake bay and its tributaries and in railway the Virginia was redecked, new for Johnson & Wimsatt; schooner Bessie North Carolina waters. Ford, cord wood from a lower river point, in 1878 and has been kept in good reat anchor in the harbor; schooner Cora, Chesapeake bay at 11th street wharf, for and registers 195 tons gross. the market; schooner-scow Bush, at Alexhend owned and commanded the schooner andria with railroad ties for L. A. Clarke Edna A. Pogue, which was sunk in the of the choir of Emmanuel Episcopal & Son; steamer Trenton, from Alexan- Chesapeake by the Norwegian steamer Applications for the Position of Asdria, at M street wharf for repair work; Fortuna. The steamer was libeled and

# Departures.

Schooner J. M. Townsend, light, fo Deal's Island, Md., to load watermelons back to this port; schooner Martin Wagner, light, from Alexandria for Boyd's Hole, Va., to load grain; tug Capt. Toby, light, for Quantico, after a lighter for the Alexandria Chemical Company Alonzo Cushing for a short cruise of inspection on the river; steam yacht Cloelia, dealers at the 11th street wharf market Commodore Gus Forsberg, owner, on a cruise to the lower Potomac; schooner to load lumber or cord wood back to this receipts is coming from southern waters Willis Petty Charges Employer's Oscar, light, for a lower Potomac point city; schooner Bowen, light, for Chicomuxen creek, to load lumber or cord and butters, with a scattering of the wood; power sloop Daisy, light, from other varieties. Blues yesterday sold at Alexandria with merchandise for Piscat- 31/2 cents per pound; mackerel at 5 cents colored and face and head cut and away creek; power yacht Gertie, Capt. John Hahn, jr., master and owner, for a trout at 21/241/2 cent per pound and cruise to the lower Potomac.

# Memoranda

Schooner Mabel and Ruth is at a Great Wicomico river point, from this city, to dealers each trip. The crabs are of good load fish scrap for Newbern, N. C.; size and in excellent condition. They are schooner Maud Palmer, with ice for this selling at about \$2 per barrel. city, sailed from a Maine port yesterday; schoner Virginia Dare has sailed from wharf market since Thursday. Several Selemons Island, Md., for a Virginia vessels are at Deals Island and other point to load lumber for this port; schoon- points on the eastern shore of Chesapeake er Lottle Carter is in Nomini creek to load cord wood for dealers here; schoon- is fair and they are selling at from \$6 er Henry S. Little has sailed from the to \$25 per hundred. Kennebec river with ice for the Mutual Ice Company at Alexandria; scow John Fisher is in Mattawoman creek loading for dealers here; schooner Eleanor Russell is at a Potomac point to load cord wood back t this city; schooner John P. Robinson is in Upper Machodoc creek to oad grain for this market; schooner Lyload grain for this market; schooner Lyman M. Law is chartered to load ice at a Maine point for this city; schooner Washington for Baltimore yesterday aftThomas W. Moore is at a river point to Thomas W. Moore is at a river point to ernoon, where he will make a flight the requirements. Applications

# WIRELESS INSPECTORS' DUTY.

### Headquarters for This District at C. St. John Howard, who has been ap-pointed inspector of wireless outsite Baltimore Custom House.

pointed inspector of wireless outfits on him for another aerial ride over the seagoing ships for the territory extending capital. from Philadelphia to Galveston and also Porto Rico, has entered upon the discharge of his duties and will make his headquarters, when in this portion of his Washington Man Successful Candi-

ocean-going passenger vessel carrying as the recent examination for appointment many as fitty passengers is equipped with as first lieutenant in the Medical Corps a wireless appartus, and to report failure Bro., tugboat owners, who has been looking after the interests of his tugs at into effect June 24, and subjects the of- Others in the fending vessel to a fine of not less than Mr. Howard will proceed from one sea-port town to another making investiga-t ons. Until appointed to his present posi-

tion he was deputy collector of customs

Choice Home-grown Flowers. You can always count on getting the finest and freshest flowers at Gude's, 1214 F.

# Wants Requests Sent Early.

at Norfolk.

Cavalry Band asks that persons wishing ed at the home of W. F. Gude, 3800 New the band to play special numbers at Hampshire avenue northwest, by Mr. and Robert W. Cox, park concerts send in requests at least one week in advance, also that all reclub, which takes place there Tuesday C. C. Archibald.

Walked 5 Miles for Corn on Cob, 5ce Md. Lunch, 1008 Pa. ave., 610 9th st

CITY ITEMS.

Last day Herodias, Virginia, 9th, F. G.

You've Never Tasted Ginger Ale quite equal to A B C "Perfection" Ale in flavor, quality, snap. Excels the imported -costs you much less. Grocers, or tel. West 34, Arlington Bottling Co.

### ORGANIZATION MEN SCORE.

# Commissioners of Prince Georges

County Enjoined by Court. HYATTSVILLE, July 29 -Another development in the contest now being waged in Prince Georges county between the organization and anti-organization wings of the democratic party took place Wednesday of this week, when the board of road directors, composed of organization men, instituted injunction proceedings to restrain the board of county commissioners, a majority of whom are antiorganization men, from entering into a contract for the maintenance of the county road leading from Suttland to the District of Columbia line. Judge Fillmore Beall granted the injunction. The commissioners also were directed to render an account of the road money they now have in hand not paid to the road. directors, and to state why such money, if any, is being held by them.

The friends of the road directors claim that the reason the county commissioners still attempt to exercise control over certain road in the county is their unwilling. ness to surrender control of the roads which they have so long had in charge and which, counsel for the directors declare, has been quite a source of political help to them through the agencies appointed by the board.

# SCHOONERS BRINGING ICE

#### Recent Warm Spell Upset Calculations of Local Companies.

The recent warm spell completely upset the calculation of the managers of the local ice companies, was had figured that the ice-making plants, with the reserve supply that had been accumulated during the winter and spring months, would be able to take care of the demand this summer without bringing ice here from Maine. It has been found that at least 6,000 tons additional will be needed and vessels have been chartered to bring it here. This quantity will certainly be wanted, it is said, and should August be an unusually dry and hot month it may be necessary to bring

The big five-masted schooner James W. Paul, Jr., with about 2,100 tons, is in the river and will arrive here early this morning. The five-masted schooner Maud Palmer, one of the big vessels of the Palmer fleet, with 2,500 tons was scheduled to sail yesterday from her loading point in Maine, and the schooner Lyman W. Law is under charter to bring 1.700 tons to this port later in the sea-The Law is at Banger to discharge a cargo of coal and from that port will go to Boothbay, Me., to load the ice she will bring here. The schooner Henry S. Little is on her way from Maine to Alexandria with ice.

# POWER LAUNCHES REPAIRED.

# The Florence and Virginia About

Ready to Resume Service. The power launch Florence, belonging to John Rizzo of this city is at Regan's boatyard for cleaning and painting, preparatory to joining the pleasure fleet on the river. She will take her owner and friends on a cruise on the Potomac

the coming month. The power launch Virginia, belonging guards were put on her and all unsound timber taken out of her hull and re-

# pair. Her dimensions are 117 feet long, is now practically a new boat

# MANY WANT THE JOB. sistant to Pawn Inspector.

There are numerous applicants for the position of assistant to the pawn inspector of the police department. The work of the inspector has increased to such an extent during recent years, !t is said, that Maj. Sylvester finds it necessary to have two men perform the duties

heretofore performed by the inspector and a new system will be inaugurated. Under the proposed system the police officials think much more stolen prop-There was a considerable increase in erty will be located.

# SAYS HE WAS ATTACKED.

# Son With Assault.

Willis Petty, with his eyes badly disbruised, appeared at Police Court yesterday and procured a warrant for George Day, alleging assault. Later he went Potomac have become quite heavy, the to police headquarters and had his picture taken to file as an exhibit when the case is heard in court. Petty, who is from Alexandria, Va. charges that Day came from behind a

clump of bushes on the railroad tracks near Giesboro Friday night and struck him with a club and kicked him. He claims Day assaulted him without a word of warning. More than two years ago, he says, he and Day had trouble. Petty is employed on the truck farm of John A. Day, father of his alleged as

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